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**001 Meetings.** The Commission shall meet as soon as practicable after appointment by the Governor.

**001.01 Officers.** The Commission shall elect a vice-chairperson and secretary-treasurer. The officers shall serve terms of two years.

**001.02 Frequency of Meetings.** The Commission shall meet at least quarterly on a date and at a time and place of its designation.

**001.03 Notice of Meetings.** All meetings shall be held at the call of the chairperson or at the call of a quorum of the members upon not less than seven days written notice, unless notice is waived for reason of an emergency.

**002 Quorum.** Five members of the Commission shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. The Commission may act by a majority of the members present at any meeting at which a quorum is in attendance.

**003 Reimbursement.** The members shall be reimbursed for their actual and necessary expenses, as provided in Neb. Rev. Stat. §§ 81-1174 to 81-1177.

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**001 Powers and Duties of the Commission.** The Commission shall have the following powers and duties:

**001.01 Rules and Regulations.** The Commission shall have the power to adopt and promulgate rules and regulations for its organization and internal management and rules and regulations governing the exercise of its powers and the fulfillment of its purpose.

**001.02 Advisory Committees.** The Commission shall have the power to appoint and abolish such advisory committees as may be necessary for the performance of its functions and delegate appropriate powers and duties to them.

**001.03 Loans, Grants, and Donations.** The Commission shall have the power to accept and administer loans, grants, and donations from the United States and its agencies, the State of Nebraska and its agencies, and other sources, public and private, for carrying out the functions of the Commission.

**001.04 Contracts, Leases and Agreements.** The Commission shall have the power to enter into contracts, leases, and agreements necessary, convenient, or desirable for carrying out its purposes and the powers granted under this section with agencies of state or local government, corporations, or persons.

**001.05 Property.** The Commission shall have the power to acquire, hold, and dispose of personal property in the exercise of its powers.

**001.06 Legal Services.** The Commission shall have the power to provide legal services to indigent persons through the Capital Litigation Division, the Appellate Division, and the

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**001.07 Employment.** The Commission shall have the power to appoint and set the compensation and terms of employment of the Chief Counsel, and to set guidelines and policies for the employment of other staff by the Chief Counsel.

**001.08 Policies.** The Commission shall have the power to set policies for the proper guidance and management of the Capital Litigation Division, the Appellate Division, and the Major Case Resource Center.

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